

**Table 26.—Associate's degrees, by sex of recipient, with projections: 1986–87 to 2011–12**

<b>Year ending</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Men</b>	<b>Women</b>
1987	436,304	190,839	245,465
1988	435,085	190,047	245,038
1989	436,764	186,316	250,448
1990	455,102	191,195	263,907
1991	481,720	198,634	283,086
1992	504,231	207,481	296,750
1993	514,756	211,964	302,792
1994	530,632	215,261	315,371
1995	539,691	218,352	321,339
1996	555,216	219,514	335,702
1997	571,226	223,948	347,278
1998	558,555	217,613	340,942
1999	559,954	218,417	341,537
2000	564,933	224,721	340,212
<b>Middle alternative projections</b>			
2001	615,000	227,000	388,000
2002	619,000	227,000	392,000
2003	633,000	233,000	400,000
2004	632,000	231,000	401,000
2005	637,000	231,000	406,000
2006	638,000	231,000	407,000
2007	643,000	232,000	411,000
2008	647,000	233,000	414,000
2009	652,000	234,000	418,000
2010	656,000	235,000	421,000
2011	662,000	236,000	426,000
2012	669,000	238,000	431,000
<b>Low alternative projections</b>			
2001	605,000	223,000	382,000
2002	599,000	220,000	379,000
2003	595,000	219,000	376,000
2004	596,000	218,000	378,000
2005	596,000	216,000	380,000
2006	597,000	216,000	381,000
2007	602,000	217,000	385,000
2008	606,000	218,000	388,000
2009	610,000	219,000	391,000
2010	614,000	220,000	394,000
2011	620,000	221,000	399,000
2012	627,000	223,000	404,000
<b>High alternative projections</b>			
2001	624,000	230,000	394,000
2002	640,000	235,000	405,000
2003	671,000	247,000	424,000
2004	668,000	244,000	424,000
2005	677,000	245,000	432,000
2006	679,000	246,000	433,000
2007	684,000	247,000	437,000
2008	689,000	248,000	441,000
2009	694,000	249,000	445,000
2010	698,000	250,000	448,000
2011	705,000	251,000	454,000
2012	712,000	253,000	459,000

NOTE: Some data have been revised from previously published figures. Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding. Mean absolute percentage errors of selected education statistics can be found in table A2.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, "Degrees and Other Formal Awards Conferred" survey; Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS), "Completions" survey; and Earned Degrees Conferred Model. (This table was prepared May 2002.)